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In accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98, attached please find a Form PTO SB/08 listing information for consideration by the Office in connection with its examination of the above-captioned patent application.

Applicant requests that this information disclosure statement be considered and that a copy of the Form PTO SB/08 be returned to the undersigned indicating the consideration of each document listed.

REMARKS

Dellert et al. U.S. Patent No. 6,154,755 discloses an index imaging system that scans photographic images to produce digital images and store the digital images in an organized manner to facilitate retrieval.

Applicant submits that no representation is made, and no representation is intended, that more relevant material does not exist, or that the order of presentation of these materials in any way reflects their relevant pertinence. The listing on the attached Form PTO SB/08 is not intended to constitute an admission of any kind. Specifically, this presentation is not an admission that any of the items listed are properly citable against the above-identified application as prior art. Applicant respectfully submits that his invention is patentable over the enclosed documents listed on Form PTO SB/08.

To Applicant's knowledge, this information disclosure statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits. Therefore, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3), no fee is believed necessary for its consideration. Please charge any necessary fees or deficiencies in fees necessary for the filing of this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-0780/MEMO-25,886 of HOWISON, THOMA & ARNOTT, L.L.P.

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